

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 2482**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Furutani**

February 19, 2010

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An act to add Section 70901.3 to the Education Code, relating to community colleges.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2482, as introduced, Furutani. Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges: consultation process.

Existing law establishes the California Community Colleges as one of the segments of public postsecondary education in this state. Existing law establishes the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges to administer the community colleges and requires the board to provide general supervision over the community college districts and to perform various functions. Existing law requires the board, in performing those functions, to establish and carry out a process for consultation with institutional representatives of community college districts to ensure their participation in the development and review of policy proposals. Existing law also requires the consultation process to afford community college organizations, as well as interested individuals and parties, an opportunity to review and comment on proposed policy before it is adopted by the board. Pursuant to these consultation requirements, the board has established a consultation council composed of various members.

This bill would require the board to include among the membership of the consultation council 2 members who are classified employees, each representing one of 2 different statewide collective bargaining organizations.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1     SECTION 1. Section 70901.3 is added to the Education Code,  
2     to read:  
3     70901.3. The board of governors shall include among the  
4     membership of the consultation council established by the board  
5     for purposes of subdivision (e) of Section 70901 two classified  
6     employees of community colleges, each representing one of two  
7     different statewide collective bargaining organizations that  
8     represent classified employees of community colleges.